



ADAIR COUNTY EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS Holiday Bazaar 2023



Santa making his rounds last year
at the Bazaar.



Mary Williams and her booth
last year.



Bliss Club at the Bazaar last year.

Ring-aling, hear them ring, soon it will be Christmas Day! Silver Bells is a song I have on my mind around this time of year. On November 18th the Extension Office will be turned into a winter wonderland, similar to this classic song! In this special mailing, we have included up-to-date information for the Bazaar. Included is a Vendor Application, as well as competition information for the Miniature Village.

The Holiday Bazaar will be November 18th from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm CST at the Extension Office. The Bazaar supports scholarships and educational programs for Extension Homemakers. Vendor applications are currently available and due by November 15th at 4:30 pm CST. A new cost structure for vendors will be in effect this year. Instead of 10% of sales, vendors will pay an upfront \$15 fee, in addition to the Homemaker's membership fee. Vendors are also asked to provide a door prize of approximately \$15 in value.

The Holiday Miniature Village Competition will take place on November 18th during the Holiday Bazaar. The competition is free and open to anyone. Registration is due by November 3rd. Displays are limited to one table (72x30 inches) and participants are asked to fill as much of the table as possible. Winners will be determined by public vote and announced at the conclusion of the Bazaar. Each visitor receives one vote.

There is a more detailed flyer and signup sheet for each of these opportunities included in this mailing. However, always feel free to give me a call at (270) 384-2317 with any questions. Until then, ring-aling!



See you soon!
Dylan Gentry
Dylan Gentry
County Extension Agent
for Family & Consumer Sciences





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HOMEMAKER FUNDRAISER



Pecans have been ordered and will be available at the Extension Office soon. We have ordered fresh pecans of this year's crop. An announcement will be made as soon as they arrive.

FOR MORE INFO, CONTACT US!



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JOIN US AT THE



Holiday Bazaar

Saturday - November 18, 2023

8:00 am - 2:00 pm CST

Adair County Extension Office

409 Fairground Street

Columbia, KY 42728

**Coffee Bar, jams, jellies, relishes, pickles, cookies,
candies, pies, handmade holiday decorations,
wood working items, fresh produce, and more.
The perfect stop for locally made holiday gifts!**

Vendor applications are now available.

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HOLIDAY BAZAAR VENDOR APPLICATION

2023 Vendor Rules

What, When, Where

The Holiday Bazaar is a local craft market organized by the Adair County Extension Homemakers. Money generated from the Bazaar supports scholarships and educational programs of the Homemakers. The Bazaar will take place on Saturday, November 18th from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm CST at the Extension Office.

Register

Registration for the Bazaar is due by Wednesday, November 15th at 4:30 pm CST. To register, return this signed vendor sheet to the Extension Office. The Office is located at 409 Fairground Street, Columbia KY 42728. While anyone may be a vendor, Homemaker membership is required in addition to the vendor fee. Cost is explained more in the next section. Registered participants will be notified of any changes.

Cost

The cost to setup at the Bazaar is comprised of two components.

- The first component is to be a paid Homemaker member. Membership costs \$12 and must be paid when you turn in this form, if it has not been done already. If the vendor has paid for homemaker membership already this year this cost is already covered. Homemaker membership is non-refundable.
- The second component consists of a non-refundable \$15 vendor fee, due per vendor. The \$15 fee is due when you turn in this form. You can pay for the Homemaker membership and vendor fee simultaneously. Total cost for both membership and vendor fee is \$27 dollars.

Types of Vendors

The bazaar is intended for vendors who are profit seeking. However, non-profit vendors will be allowed on a case by case basis. Please speak to Dylan Gentry or Sharon Harris for more information.

Items Not Allowed

The Bazaar is limited to handmade/locally sourced items only. Re-sell items are not allowed. The bazaar is a family friendly event. Yard sale items, junk, obscene material, illegal items, etc are not allowed.

Setup

Setup for the Bazaar will begin at 3:00 pm on Friday, November 17th and conclude at 6:00 pm. Setup will then resume the day of the Holiday Bazaar beginning at 6:45 am on November 18th and conclude at 8:00 am.

Vendors will be supplied a table and two chairs, the measurements of the rectangular table is 72x30 inches. Vendors may have access to two tables, this determination will be made the day of the Bazaar based on space and availability.

Electricity

Electricity for vendors will be very scarce, but a limited number of outlets will be available on a first-come first-serve basis. It is recommended that participants arrive early to setup and grab the spots closest to outlets. Accessories powered by batteries are the safest bets. Unsafe use of electricity, such as plugging multiple extension cords into one, overloading frayed or exposed electrical wires, and tripping hazards are not allowed.

Wifi

Wifi is available for vendors. However, there are no assurances that wifi is secure. Caution should be exercised when executing credit card payments.

Takedown

You may begin packing up your table at 2:00 pm on Bazaar day. If the crowd begins to dwindle at an earlier time, you may pack up earlier.

Door Prizes

The Homemakers will give out door prizes to guests that attend. Vendors are asked to provide a door prize of approximately \$15 in value. Make sure to add a tag so the recipient can thank you for your donation.

First & Last Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

I agree to follow the vendor rules:

Signature _____





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Adair County Homemakers Present:

HOLIDAY MINIATURE VILLAGE COMPETITION

Design your own holiday village display,
win real prize money!

The competition will take place in coordination with the Holiday Bazaar.
Winners will be determined by popular vote of Bazaar visitors.
1st place will win \$50; 2nd place will win \$30; and 3rd \$20.

For full competition details, such as maximum display dimensions,
contact the Adair County Extension Office at (270) 384-2317.
Deadline to register is Friday, November 3rd.



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HOLIDAY MINIATURE VILLAGE COMPETITION

2023 Competition Rules

What, When, Where

The Holiday Miniature Village Competition will coincide with the Homemakers Holiday Bazaar on Saturday, November 18th at the Extension Office. Participants are tasked with creating a dazzling display of miniature holiday figurines and tiny buildings, similar to how some may decorate their homes during the holidays. Anyone can participate, the competition is free.

Register

Registration for the competition is due by Friday, November 3rd at 4:30 pm CST. To register, return this signed competition sheet to the Extension Office. The Office is located at 409 Fairground Street, Columbia KY 42728. Depending on participation numbers, the Homemakers may decide to alter or cancel the competition. Registered participants will be notified of any changes.

Display

Competition displays are limited to a single table, the measurements of the rectangular table is 72x30 inches. Participants are asked to fill as much of the table as possible. Participants may be able to use two tables depending on how many people sign-up for the competition.

Setup

Setup for the village competition will begin at 3:00 pm on Friday, November 17th and conclude at 6:00 pm. Setup will then resume the day of the Holiday Bazaar beginning at 6:45 am on November 18th and conclude at 8:00 am.

Competition Time

Competition will begin at 8:00 am when the Bazaar opens. The competition will conclude at 12:45, and a winner will be announced at 1:00 pm when the Bazaar concludes.

Takedown

You may begin packing up your display at 12:45 pm on competition day.

Electricity

The Homemakers will try their best to ensure each participant has access to electricity for their display. However, electricity access cannot be guaranteed and outlets are limited. It is recommend that participants arrive early to setup to grab the spots closest to outlets. Accessories powered by batteries are the safest bets. Unsafe use of electricity, such as plugging in multiple extension cords into one, frayed or exposed electrical wires, and tripping hazards are not allowed.

Judging

Winners will be determined by popular vote of the public. As the public signs in to visit the Bazaar, voting will be explained. Each visitor receives one vote. At 12:45 p.m. Homemaker volunteers will count the votes. A winner will then be announced and notified.

Care of Items

“Do Not Touch” signs will be displayed throughout the competition room to discourage tampering by the public. The use of bubble wrap or other protective methods is recommended during the transportation of displays items to the competition. The Extension Homemakers, the Extension Office, and its members and employees are not responsible for broken or lost items. Family heirlooms of great significance are not recommended to be used.

First & Last Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

I agree to follow the competition rules:

Signature

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